From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:49 AM

To: Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV) Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)

Subject:

FW: General Administration

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 7:42 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: General\_Administration

Web mail from: Mr. John McCombs

address: box 39087 Ninilchik AK 99639

907-567-3334

#### MESSAGE:

Dear Governor, The serious questions would probably recieve no comment. I understand you will be in Kenai tommorrow with a full schedule no doubt. If you have a spare moment let me know.

The commercial fishery was closed and the in-river fisheries stayed open in spite of no minimum escapement. Management here is a case of conservation for the commercial fishery and opportunity for the in-river fisheries. This is wrong.

Anyway good luck at the GOP convention. Please tell Senator McCain about the pain from the Exxon decision. If you stop in Seattle try the Wild Ginger Restaurant. My brother Don is the maitre'de.

Safe Travels, John McCombs

jmccombs@kpbsd.k12.ak.us

From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 5:05 PM

To: 'gov.palin@yahoo.com' Subject: Rural Wireless Service

We all know how much you love your Blackberry. And when you travel to Rural Alaska in the near future, you just might be able to use it. Here's an item from the Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corp newsletter – about what having wireless service means to the region.

## Universal Wireless Service on the way!

YKHC Technology Services

GCI plans to launch wireless phone and internet service in approximately 200 rural villages statewide over the next three years. The first locations are to have service by October of this year.

YKHC President/CEO Gene Peltola and Chief Information Officer David Hodges have been pushing for this service in order to supply YKHC patients and providers better communications in the region.

Hodges says the service upgrade will give YKHC and other village customers statewide cell phone access. GCI will also have roaming agreements in place for calling in the Lower 48, Hawaii, Canada, and Mexico. This means that your cell phone in Bethel will finally work in Anchorage or while you are on vacation in Honolulu.

Once wireless service is launched, customers in rural locations will have access to GCI wireless voice, text messaging and data services. Customers will be able choose from a wide range of mobile handsets-from basic and inexpensive to higher end handsets-as well as more weather resistant rugged handsets. They can also choose a fixed desktop device or a fixed terminal device, which can be hooked up to their existing landline phone. Blackberry devices and other smartphones will be available as well.

Hodges says there's no specific information available just yet on the packages and plans that will be offered, but customers will be able to choose from plans which offer the following: unlimited calling within a customer's home village - including all calls to and from other wireless and/or wireline customers, Alaska statewide calling plans and nationwide calling plans. Customers will also be able to add additional lines at reduced rates.

"This will have a far-reaching effect for healthcare in our region," Hodges said. "This technology will allow patients and providers an inexpensive method to stay connected to healthcare services and personnel. This brings us the capability to assist and respond to medical services in a more efficient and expedient manner-something other areas of the world have been doing for decades."

**Timeline for Wireless Rollout** 

## October 1, 2008

- Bethel
- Kotlik
- Quinhagak
- Akiachak
- Kwethluk
- Russian Mission
- Akiak
- Kwigillingok
- Saint Marys/Pitkas Point
- Alakanuk
- Marshall
- Scammon Bay
- Atmautluak
- Mekoryuk
- Toksook Bay
- Chefornak
- Mountain Village
- Tuluksak
- Chevak
- Napakiak
- Tuntutliak
- Eek
- Napaskiak/Oscarville
- Tununak
- Emmonak
- Newtok
- Hooper Bay
- Nightmute
- Kipnuk
- Kasigluk
- Nunam Iqua Point
- Nunapitchuk
- Kongiganak
- Pilot Station

## August 1, 2009

- Aniak
- Chuathbaluk

## Sept. 1, 2010

Anvik

8/24/2009

- Crooked Creek
- Grayling
- **■** Holy Cross
- Kalskag
- Red Devil
- Shageluk
- Sleetmute

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 4:34 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Guerrero case

Dear Governor Palin,

After several years of litigation to the state supreme court and back to the trial court we settled a personal injury case for \$2,000,000 (Two Million dollars)involving a paralyzed boy who had been represented by Phil Weidner. The claim was in excess of 20,000,000 (twenty). Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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From: Sent: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [kris.perry@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 9:21 PM

To:

'sp@hslak.com'; Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Re: Industry Days 2:30 p.m.

You are scheduled to attend the opening ceremonies along w/Senator Stevens at noon. At this time, you are not confirmed for the awards ceremony taking place later that afternoon.

---- Original Message -----

From: sp@hslak.com <sp@hslak.com>

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 21:12:43 2008

Subject: Fw: Industry Days 2:30 p.m.

So do I not have to be there until 2:30 now? See below:

----Original Message----

From: Sean Parnell

To: SarahPersonal

Sent: Aug 22, 2008 9:08 PM

Subject: Industry Days 2:30 p.m.

I confirmed that I would join you in our roles as Gov/LG in presenting awards at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, at the invitation of the Kenai Peninsula Borough at Industry Appreciation Days. (or at least I asked Kelly C. to confirm it for me)

They knew I already had a campaign booth there but we were told by the organizers that. handing out awards has tradtionally been done by gov/lg and that taking one hat off and putting another on, at least for me, is not an issue since we'd be introduced as gov/lg.

Please let me know you got this. Thanks.

Sean

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

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To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
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To: Subject: gov.sarah@yahoo.com Friday, August 22, 2008 8:06 AM Perry: Kristina Y (GOV); Hanson; Britta L (GOV)

Luncheon

If the Rasmusson group is small enough today, let's have the lunch in my office where it's a nicer atmosphere and beautiful view.

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From: Sent:

Brian Delay [brian.delay@gmail.com] Friday, August 22, 2008 12:32 AM

To: Cc:

Fogels; Edmund J (DNR)

Subject:

Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Palin; Sarah H (GOV); ebluemink@adn.com Ballot Initiative 4 information

To: Ed Fogels, Director Large Projects and Permitting AK DNR

I am writing to express my disappointment in your leadership, or should I say misleading role in attempting to subvert the public initiative process regarding ballot initiative number four. Perhaps you need be reminded we still think we live in a democracy in which the people have the right to petition the government and effect public policy where appointed officials in the eyes of the citizenry either fail or prove inadequate. Your disregard for the public process and attempts to spread propaganda on behalf of foreign mining interests defy the better judgement of the Department of Natural Resources, the citizens of Alaska and all those working tirelessly to protect Alaska's greatest resource, clean water. Remember, as a public servant your interests should lie in serving the greatest good of the state. Although you may not be immediately held accountable for your actions and professional failures you should understand it is behaviour such as yours which defy the public trust and degrade the credibility of your post and the Department of Natural Resources as a whole. The reasons for ballot initiative four is directly and specifically related to the incompetence demonstrated by your department under your supervision. Officials like yourself must be held accountable for breaking Alaska Laws. I urge your immediate resignation to demonstrate accountability within the Department of Natural Resources and to further indicate your error in judgement was not a flagrant abuse of power, that was knowingly in violation of Alaska Statutes and an assault on the public trust. You have compromised your credibility and integrity to act as Director of Large

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Sincerely,

Brian Delay

Auke Bay, Alaska

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To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)

Subject: Fw: USFWS/Acid Mine Drainage

Fyi

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From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 15:18:57 -0400

To: Governor Sarah Palin<gov.sarah@yahoo.com> CC: Mike Nizich<Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: USFWS/Acid Mine Drainage

I thought that you would want to see my email = below to Mike Nizich. Headquarters, Interior Department, is=quite concerned about the timing in relation to Proposition 4 but = feels that nothing can be done at this point.

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>>> On 8/22/2008 at 3:13 PM, in = message <48AED79A.CD3B.0090.3@ALASKADC.org>, John Katz <jwkatz@ALA= SKADC.org> wrote:

Attached is the report that I mentioned at this = morning's staff meeting. As you will note, the USFWS concludes that = acid mine drainage could be a significant problem with respect to new = large scale mines in pristine areas. It is expected that the report = will be made available by USFWS staff in Anchorage, and it has apparently = been referenced in <u>Green Wire</u>.

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To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)<mike.nizich@alaska.gov>; ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Irwin, Tom E (DNR)<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>; Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)<larry.hartig@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Ballot Measure 4

Dear Governor and Mr. Nizich,

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From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 9:41 AM

To: ExternalEmailgsp;Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

Subject: RE: Ballot Measure 4

You are correct he did speak openly about that subject and there were never any repercussions that I have ever heard about.

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

**Sent:** Friday, August 22, 2008 8:59 AM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

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Subject: RE: Ballot Measure 4

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 11:40 AM

To:

Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Irwin; Tom E (DNR)

Subject: Re: APOC ruling

#### Got it thanks

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From: "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 11:33:28 -0800

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Colberg, Talis J (LAW)<talis.colberg@alaska.gov>; Irwin, Tom E

(DNR)<tom.irwin@alaska.gov> Subject: Re: APOC ruling

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 11:21:45 2008 Subject: Re: APOC ruling

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Privileged o Are Tom and Marty aware of this?

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Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 11:05:25 -0800

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> Subject: FW: APOC ruling

Dear Governor Palin, Here is more detail Privileged or Per. Talis

From: Tillery, Craig J (LAW)

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 11:04 AM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Heese, Ruth Hamilton (LAW); Leonard, Cameron M (LAW)

Subject: APOC ruling

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Craig J. Tillery
Deputy Attorney General
Alaska Department of Law
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Please note that my email address has changed to craig tillery@alaska.gov

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Sent: Thursday, August 21, 2008 10:14 PM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV) Subject: Fw: Ballot Measure 4

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Hartig < larry.hartig@alaska.gov>

CC: Marty Rutherford<marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>; Fogels, Edmund J (DNR)

<ed.fogels@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Ballot Measure 4

Let the other side have space on the website for rebuttal. And I'll forgo my First Amendment rights until

the critics chill and I can once again express my personal opinion when asked...

Thank you

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Date: Thu, 21 Aug 2008 21:59:23 -0800

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Colberg, Talis J (LAW)<talis.colberg@alaska.gov>; Hartig, Lawrence L

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Subject: Ballot Measure 4

Governor, attached below are Ed Fogel's quick comments on the APOC ruling. I wanted you to see these right away. Ruth is already working with Talis/Craig and we all will be getting together tomorrow morning at 8:30 to decide the right course of action.

We still feel that DEC, Law and DNR worked hard to give the correct honest evaluation.

To: Tom, Marty,

The APOC Commission just ruled that our website is not educating the public in a "fair" manner, and cited several specific examples. They cited not only the legislative intent for the \$25,000 appropriation, but also several other election statutes, and a 1992 AG's opinion. The bottom line is that they feel that to be fair, the proponents of the ballot measure should have some level of agreement to our website.

The Commission ordered us to meet with the complaining party tomorrow and try to either develop website language that is mutually agreeable, or to allow them to insert rebuttal language after sections of our website that they find objectionable. We have been ordered to appear with the other party before the Commission at 2:00 pm tomorrow. the Commission will either then bless our new site, or for us to kill the site for the duration.

The Commission ordered that the website is to be pulled immediately (which I have initiated), and ordered that state officials cease to advocate for or against ballot measure 4. We can get more clarification on this order tomorrow at 2:00. The Commission made no mention of the Governor's statement at the press conference in their order.

Ed

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From: Sent: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 2:00 PM

To: Subject: 'johnboytoo@cox.net'

ject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 1:27 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. John Hernandez

address: 2246 Shadyridge Avenue Escondido CA 92029

760-801-6103

MESSAGE:

Sarah,

Kellie Davis has been trying to help me get in touch with you. I KNOW you're very busy. However, I'd be honored to have the chance to speak with you again.

John Hernandez

(760) 801-6103

johnboytoo@cox.net

From: Sent: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 11:51 AM

To:

'kpsfair@acsalaska.net'

Subject:

RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 11:43 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Lara McGinnis

address: P.O. Box 39688 Ninilchik AK 99639

907-398-4468

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I enjoyed meeting you, brief as it was at the Palmer fair. You mentioned that you were coming down to the Kenai Peninsula this weekend, and I would love give you a tour of the fair grounds here in Ninilchik and talk about ways we can help encourage our peninsula youth to continue raising Alaska Grown livestock and vegetables. This year 49 youth participated in the JML livestock auction, with total sales of over \$70,000. That is amazing. I live at the fair grounds so can be available any time. Please feel free to call me on my cell phone (907) 398-4468.

I hope to see you.

Sincerely,

Lara McGinnis, Fair Mananger

Kenai Peninsula Fair

kpsfair@acsalaska.net

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Cc	Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Hartig; Lawrence L (DEC)			
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Talis, we appreciate the help and the teamwork! Tom

Subject: Re: APOC and appeal

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 16:28:51 2008

Subject: APOC and appeal

Dear Governor Palin, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

From: McAllister, William D (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=WDMCALLISTER]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 6:28 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Laura Ingraham

Sent using BlackBerry

From: McAllister, William D (GOV)

To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: 'gov.sarah@alaska.gov' Sent: Fri Aug 22 18:24:53 2008 Subject: Re: Monday's event

Laura Ingraham just mentioned the governor as a good VP pick on Greta van Susteren (sp?).

Sent using BlackBerry

From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

To: McAllister, William D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Bulawa, Abbey L (GOV);

Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 17:20:47 2008 Subject: RE: Monday's event

Right. She usually just reads part of it - not the whole thing. But like you said, we can distribute it.

# Rosanne Hughes

Director of External Communications (907) 269-7450

From: McAllister, William D (GOV) Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 5:19 PM

To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Bulawa, Abbey L (GOV);

Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Subject: RE: Monday's event

Not sure if she'll actually read the whole thing, given that we're trying to keep this fairly succinct, but we would distribute it to reporters.

From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 4:59 PM

To: McAllister, William D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Bulawa, Abbey L (GOV);

Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Subject: Monday's event

Tara and Abbey,

I am sending verbage for a proclamation to Jessalynn. She is going to expedite it through the process and get it back to us ASAP Monday. The Governor will be reading the proclamation at a bill signing event on Monday. If you both could please help us work with Jessalynn to get it printed off on the right paper and put in the binder for the Governor Monday that would be very, very helpful. Thanks!

**Rosanne Hughes**Director of External Communications (907) 269-7450

From: Sent: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Friday, August 22, 2008 11:20 AM

To: Subject: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Re: Sched

I'd rather start freeing up kate's time for her to work on bigger speeches so rosanne needs to handle this short event, pls let her know

----Original Message-----

From: Kris Perry

To: Governor Sarah Palin

To: Janice Mason

Sent: Aug 22, 2008 11:04 AM

Subject: RE: Sched

No formal expectation other than welcoming them to Alaska. They've been traveling the state for the last week so inquiring on their travels and what they've heard.

In terms of Kenai, from what I understand you will need to be there at 12noon for opening ceremonies and a brief welcome. It sounds like the ceremony in total is brief so your departure is at any time following. I spoke to Rosanne about the need to get brief remarks prepared asap. She is starting, and will work w/Kate upon her return. Janice, can you please take it from here on notifications, etc?

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 10:44 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Sched

What's the expextation for me today at the lunch? And tomorrow in kenai? When should I arrive, how long do I stay

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From:

Morgan, Katryn L (GOV) [kate.morgan@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 3:51 PM

To:

'sp@hsiak.com'

Cc:

Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Davis; Susan M

(GÖV)

Subject:

08.23.08 Kenal Industry Appreciation Day Celebration

Importance: High

#### Governor,

Here are your remarks and event info for tomorrow's event. Please note that the LG will be just landing when the event begins, and so will likely miss the opportunity to speak in the opening ceremonies. Sen. Ted Stevens will be present, and Congressman Young is unconfirmed at this time. I will ask Susie to keep an eye out for any legislators or dignitaries and provide you with a list to add to your remarks. Susie will also have an extra copy of your remarks, just in case.

Just as an FYI, if Piper is with you for this event, there are tons of kid's games and contests to participate in. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns and have a beautiful weekend!

#### Kate Morgan

Communications Coordinator Office of Governor Sarah Palin (907) 269-7450

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 11:23 AM

To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)

Subject: Fw. USFWS/Acid Mine Drainage

Fyi

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 15:18:57 -0400

To: Governor Sarah Palin<gov.sarah@yahoo.com> CC: Mike Nizich<Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov> Subject: USFWS/Acid Mine Drainage

I thought that you would want to see my email = below to Mike Nizich. Headquarters, Interior Department, is= quite concerned about the timing in relation to Proposition 4 but = feels that nothing can be done at this point.

I know that we don't have an official = position on Proposition 4, but I've seen your personal comments. So, = I wanted you to have this.

John W. = Katz
Director of = State/Federal Relations
and Special = Counsel to the Governor
=<u>iwkatz@alaskadc.org</u>
(202)624-5858<=/FONT>

>>> On 8/22/2008 at 3:13 PM, in = message <48AED79A.CD3B.0090.3@ALASKADC.org>, John Katz <jwkatz@ALA= SKADC.org> wrote:

Attached is the report that I mentioned at this = morning's staff meeting. As you will note, the USFWS concludes that = acid mine drainage could be a significant problem with respect to new = large scale mines in pristine areas. It is expected that the report = will be made available by USFWS staff in Anchorage, and it has apparently = been referenced in Green Wire.

I suspect that the report will become grist in = the final phase of the debate on Pebble. Just thought that you would = want to know.

John W. = Katz
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Hartig<larry.hartig@alaska.gov>

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From:

Sent:

To: Subject: gov.sarah@yahoo.com Friday, August 22, 2008 8:06 AM Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Hanson; Britta L (GOV)

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Brian Delay [brian.delay@gmail.com] Friday, August 22, 2008 12:32 AM

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Ballot Initiative 4 information

To: Ed Fogels, Director Large Projects and Permitting AK DNR

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Auke Bay, Alaska

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Governor, attached below are Ed Fogel's quick comments on the APOC ruling. I wanted you to see these right away. Ruth is already working with Talis/Craig and we all will be getting together tomorrow morning at 8:30 to decide the right course of action.

We still feel that DEC, Law and DNR worked hard to give the correct honest evaluation.

To: Tom, Marty,

The APOC Commission just ruled that our website is not educating the public in a "fair" manner, and cited several specific examples. They cited not only the legislative intent for the \$25,000 appropriation, but also several other election statutes, and a 1992 AG's opinion. The bottom line is that they feel that to be fair, the proponents of the ballot measure should have some level of agreement to our website.

The Commission ordered us to meet with the complaining party tomorrow and try to either develop website language that is mutually agreeable, or to allow them to insert rebuttal language after sections of our website that they find objectionable. We have been ordered to appear with the other party before the Commission at 2:00 pm tomorrow. the Commission will either then bless our new site, or for us to kill the site for the duration.

The Commission ordered that the website is to be pulled immediately (which I have initiated), and ordered that state officials cease to advocate for or against ballot measure 4. We can get more clarification on this order tomorrow at 2:00. The Commission made no mention of the Governor's statement at the press conference in their order.

Ed

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 9:52 AM

To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Hartig; Lawrence L (DEC)

Subject: Re: Ballot Measure 4

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Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 09:43:27 -0800

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV) < mike.nizich@alaska.gov >;

ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Irwin, Tom E (DNR)<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>;

Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC) < larry.hartig@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Ballot Measure 4

Dear Governor and Mr. Nizich,

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Talis

From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 9:41 AM

To: ExternalEmailgsp;Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

Subject: RE: Ballot Measure 4

You are correct he did speak openly about that subject and there were never any repercussions that I have ever heard about.

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

**Sent:** Friday, August 22, 2008 8:59 AM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

Subject: Re: Ballot Measure 4

I was told I can not speak to it via expressing my opinion, tho murkowski did so aggressively on Reserves Tax and other things.

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

From: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 08:44:21 -0800

To: ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Irwin, Tom E (DNR)<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>;

Colberg, Talis J (LAW) < talis.colberg@alaska.gov >; Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

<larry.hartig@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: Ballot Measure 4

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From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 11:51 AM 'kosfair@acsalaska.net'

To: Subject:

RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 11:43 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Lara McGinnis

address: P.O. Box 39688 Ninilchik AK 99639

907-398-4468

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I enjoyed meeting you, brief as it was at the Palmer fair. You mentioned that you were coming down to the Kenai Peninsula this weekend, and I would love give you a tour of the fair grounds here in Ninilchik and talk about ways we can help encourage our peninsula youth to continue raising Alaska Grown livestock and vegetables. This year 49 youth participated in the JML livestock auction, with total sales of over \$70,000. That is amazing. I live at the fair grounds so can be available any time. Please feel free to call me on my cell phone (907) 398-4468.

I hope to see you.

Sincerely,

Lara McGinnis, Fair Mananger

Kenai Peninsula Fair

kpsfair@acsalaska.net

From: McAllister, William D (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=WDMCALLISTER]

Sent: F

Friday, August 22, 2008 6:28 PM

To:

'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Laura Ingraham

Sent using BlackBerry

From: McAllister, William D (GOV)

To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: 'gov.sarah@alaska.gov' Sent: Fri Aug 22 18:24:53 2008 Subject: Re: Monday's event

Laura Ingraham just mentioned the governor as a good VP pick on Greta van Susteren (sp?).

Sent using BlackBerry

From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

To: McAllister, William D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Bulawa, Abbey L

(GOV); Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 17:20:47 2008 Subject: RE: Monday's event

Right. She usually just reads part of it - not the whole thing. But like you said, we can distribute it.

# Rosanne Hughes

Director of External Communications (907) 269-7450

From: McAllister, William D (GOV) Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 5:19 PM

To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Bulawa, Abbey L

(GOV); Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Subject: RE: Monday's event

Not sure if she'll actually read the whole thing, given that we're trying to keep this fairly succinct, but we would distribute it to reporters.

From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 4:59 PM

To: McAllister, William D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Bulawa, Abbey L

(GOV); Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Subject: Monday's event

Tara and Abbey,

I am sending verbage for a proclamation to Jessalynn. She is going to expedite it through the process and get it back to us ASAP Monday. The Governor will be reading the proclamation at a bill signing event on Monday. If you both could please help us work with Jessalynn to get it printed off on the right paper and put in the binder for the Governor Monday that would be very, very helpful. Thanks!

**Rosanne Hughes**Director of External Communications (907) 269-7450

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 8:58 PM

To: Hartig; Lawrence L (DEC); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Subject: Re: APOC and appeal

You all are sincerely appreciated!

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

From: "Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)" < larry.hartig@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 20:51:13 -0800

To: ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Irwin, Tom E (DNR)<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>;

Colberg, Talis J (LAW) < talis.colberg@alaska.gov >

CC: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)<marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: APOC and appeal

# Governor.

I just spoke with one of our attorneys again. The parties reached agreement on many points but not all. I understand APOC is meeting to decide whether the objections the plaintiff is still raising over the website are valid. If APOC rejects plaintiff's remaining objections, we expect the website can go back up. If APOC finds the plaintiff's remaining concerns are valid, they will issue a final decision prohibiting the state from posting the website. Our attorneys anticipate a ruling by APOC tonight.

# Larry

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Fri 8/22/2008 7:47 PM

To: Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

Subject: Re: APOC and appeal

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Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 17:07:41 -0800

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) < talis.colberg@alaska.gov >; < gov.sarah@yahoo.com >

CC: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) < marty.rutherford@alaska.gov >; Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

<a href="mailto:larry.hartig@alaska.gov">

Subject: Re: APOC and appeal

Talis, we appreciate the help and the teamwork! Tom

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) To: ExternalEmaligsp Cc: Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DN Sent: Fri Aug 22 16:28:51 2008 Subject: APOC and appeal	R); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)
Dear Governor Palin, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted	
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Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 7:47 PM

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Cc: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Hartig; Lawrence L (DEC)

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CC: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)<marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>; Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

<a href="mailto:</a> <a href="mailto:larry.hartig@alaska.gov">larry.hartig@alaska.gov</a> <a href="mailto:Subject">Subject</a>: Re: APOC and appeal

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 16:28:51 2008 Subject: APOC and appeal

Dear Governor Palin,

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Talis

From: Sent: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Friday, August 22, 2008 11:20 AM

To: Subject: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Re: Sched

I'd rather start freeing up kate's time for her to work on bigger speeches so rosanne needs to handle this short event, pls let her know

----Original Message-----

From: Kris Perry

To: Governor Sarah Palin

To: Janice Mason

Sent: Aug 22, 2008 11:04 AM

Subject: RE: Sched

No formal expectation other than welcoming them to Alaska. They've been traveling the state for the last week so inquiring on their travels and what they've heard.

In terms of Kenai, from what I understand you will need to be there at 12noon for opening ceremonies and a brief welcome. It sounds like the ceremony in total is brief so your departure is at any time following. I spoke to Rosanne about the need to get brief remarks prepared asap. She is starting, and will work w/Kate upon her return. Janice, can you please take it from here on notifications, etc?

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 10:44 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Sched

What's the expextation for me today at the lunch? And tomorrow in kenai? When should I arrive, how long do I stay

Sent from my BlackBerry(r) device from Cellular One

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From: Sent: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:58 AM

To: Subject: 'dearlee@ctcweb.net'

ject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 10:38 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Teresa Schi

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:55 AM

To: Subject: Piakak; Susan C (HSS) RE: Health\_Care

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 9:01 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Health\_Care

Web mail from: Ms. Sus

From:

Morgan, Katryn L (GOV) [kate.morgan@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 3:51 PM

To:

'sp@hslak.com'

Cc:

Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Davis; Susan M

(GOV)

Subject:

08.23.08 Kenai Industry Appreciation Day Celebration

importance: High

Governor,

Here are your remarks and event info for tomorrow's event. Please note that the LG will be just landing when the event begins, and so will likely miss the opportunity to speak in the opening ceremonies. Sen. Ted Stevens will be present, and Congressman Young is unconfirmed at this time. I will ask Susie to keep an eye out for any legislators or dignitaries and provide you with a list to add to your remarks. Susie will also have an extra copy of your remarks, just in case.

Just as an FYI, if Piper is with you for this event, there are tons of kid's games and contests to participate in. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns and have a beautiful weekend!

# Kate Morgan

Communications Coordinator Office of Governor Sarah Palin (907) 269-7450

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 11:40 AM

To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Irwin; Tom E (DNR)

Subject: Re: APOC ruling

Got it thanks

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From: "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 11:33:28 -0800

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Colberg, Talis J (LAW)<talis.colberg@alaska.gov>; Irwin, Tom

E (DNR)<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: APOC ruling

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 11:21:45 2008 Subject: Re: APOC ruling

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Privileged or Personal Are Tom and Marty aware of this?

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 11:05:25 -0800

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> Subject: FW: APOC ruling

Dear Governor Palin, Here is more detail Privileged or Pers Talis

From: Tillery, Craig J (LAW)

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 11:04 AM

To: Colberg, Talls J (LAW)

Cc: Heese, Ruth Hamilton (LAW); Leonard, Cameron M (LAW)

Subject: APOC ruling

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Craig J. Tillery
Deputy Attorney General
Alaska Department of Law
1031 W. 4th Avenue, Suite 200
Anchorage, AK 99501
(907) 269-5200
craig.tillery@alaska.gov

Please note that my email address has changed to craig tillery@alaska.gov

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:49 AM

To: Subject:

'patandjan@earthlink.net' RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 8:13 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. jan moore

address: 411 walnut st #3941 green cove springs FL 32043

MESSAGE:

governor Palin

this is our second summer in alaska.i respect your work as governor of alaska.i am pleased that you will speak at the Republican convention.Please wear your hair up.you look very lovely with it up and it shows your face to advantage.

thank you

jan

patandjan@earthlink.net

From: Sent:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:47 AM 'ahlsasha@yahoo.com'

To: Subject:

RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 7:07 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Sasha Friedman

address: 83 Orange Blossom Circle Ladera Ranch CA 92694

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

You are by far the prettiest governor I have ever seen.

Sasha

ahlsasha@yahoo.com

From: Sent:

To:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com Friday, August 22, 2008 10:44 AM Mason; Janice L (GOV) Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

Cc: Subject:

Sched

What's the expextation for me today at the lunch? And tomorrow in kenai? When should I arrive, how long do I stay

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Friday, August 22, 2008 10:42 AM 'cmschaferwhite@embarqmail.com'

Subject:

RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 12:54 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Clara Marie White

address: 505 W. Martin St. Edgerton KS 66021

913-908-2388

#### MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Sarah, I am a big, big fan of yours. A former Alaskan. Please, please be safe with all that is going on both in the Alaska and National news. Senator McCain's HQ's. Sincerely, Clara Marie White (65 years old).

cmschaferwhite@embarqmail.com

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:32 AM

To: Subject:

Colberg; Talis J (LAW) Fw: failure notice

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: MAILER-DAEMON@yahoo.com

Date: 22 Aug 2008 18:20:22

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: failure notice

Hi. This is the qmail-send program at yahoo.com.

I'm afraid I wasn't able to deliver your message to the following addresses.

This is a permanent error; I've given up. Sorry it didn't work out.

<Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us>:

64.18.5.10 does not like recipient.

Remote host said: 550 5.1.1 unknown or illegal alias: Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us Giving up on 64.18.5.10.

--- Below this line is a copy of the message.

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Sensitivity: Normal

Importance: Normal

To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Cc: "M Nizich" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Tillery, Craig

J (LAW) " <craig.tillery@alaska.gov>,Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us

Subject: Re: Update on APOC "decision"

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 18:18:35 +0000

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From: Sent: To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:25 AM akmotleygai@acsalaska.net

Subject:

RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, August 21, 2008 7:52 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Dianna Hahnlen

address: 4142 Mattox St Lot 8 Homer AK 99603

MESSAGE:

Hello-

This may sound stupid but I just wanted to say thank you. You are doing so much to help the people of Alaska and I wanted to tell you how much I appreciate it. God bless you and your family.

akmotleygal@acsalaska.net

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 2:00 PM johnboytoo@cox.net

To: Subject:

RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 1:27 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. John Hernandez

address: 2246 Shadyridge Avenue Escondido CA 92029

760-801-6103

MESSAGE:

Sarah,

Kellie Davis has been trying to help me get in touch with you. I KNOW you're very busy. However, I'd be honored to have the chance to speak with you again.

John Hernandez

(760) 801-6103

johnboytoo@cox.net

From: Sent: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [kris.perry@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 9:21 PM

To:

'sp@hslak.com'; Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Re: Industry Days 2:30 p.m.

You are scheduled to attend the opening ceremonies along w/Senator Stevens at noon. At this time, you are not confirmed for the awards ceremony taking place later that afternoon.

---- Original Message -----

From: sp@hslak.com <sp@hslak.com>

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Fri Aug 22 21:12:43 2008

Subject: Fw: Industry Days 2:30 p.m.

So do I not have to be there until 2:30 now? See below:

-----Original Message-----

From: Sean Parnell

To: SarahPersonal

Sent: Aug 22, 2008 9:08 PM

Subject: Industry Days 2:30 p.m.

I confirmed that I would join you in our roles as Gov/LG in presenting awards at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, at the invitation of the Kenai Peninsula Borough at Industry Appreciation Days. (or at least I asked Kelly C. to confirm it for me)

They knew I already had a campaign booth there but we were told by the organizers that handing out awards has tradtionally been done by gov/lg and that taking one hat off and putting another on, at least for me, is not an issue since we'd be introduced as gov/lg.

Please let me know you got this. Thanks.

Sean

From: Sent:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Friday, August 22, 2008 9:08 PM Hogan; William H (HSS)

To: Cc:

Nizich; Michael A (GOV)

Subject:

Hi Bill- thanks for attending the luncheon today!

Staff

Also, I spoke with Marion Ramano last night at the fair. Interesting that she decided to leave the borough and is now looking for a new challenge. I like her enthusiasm. She said she spoke to you and will be speaking with you again in the future about possible opportunities to serve the state. I told her I'd let you know that we spoke - we have a good relationship over 25-plus years.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From: Sent:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:58 AM

To:

'dearlee@ctcweb.net'

Subject:

RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 10:38 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Teresa Schi

From: Sent: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:55 AM

To: Subject: Piakak; Susan C (HSS) RE: Health\_Care

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 9:01 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Health\_Care

Web mail from: Ms. Sus

From: Sent:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:49 AM

To:

'patandjan@earthlink.net'

Subject:

RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 8:13 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. jan moore

address: 411 walnut st #3941 green cove springs FL 32043

MESSAGE:

governor Palin

this is our second summer in alaska.i respect your work as governor of alaska.i am pleased that you will speak at the Republican convention. Please wear your hair up.you look very lovely with it up and it shows your face to advantage.

thank you

jan

patandjan@earthlink.net

From: Sent: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:47 AM

To:

'ahlsasha@yahoo.com'

Subject: RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 7:07 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Sasha Friedman

address: 83 Orange Blossom Circle Ladera Ranch CA 92694

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

You are by far the prettiest governor I have ever seen.

Sasha

ahlsasha@yahoo.com

From: Sent:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com Friday, August 22, 2008 10:44 AM Mason; Janice L (GOV) Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

To: Cc:

Subject:

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Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Friday, August 22, 2008 10:42 AM 'cmschaferwhite@embarqmail.com'

Subject:

RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 12:54 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Clara Marie White

address: 505 W. Martin St. Edgerton KS 66021

913-908-2388

### MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Sarah, I am a big, big fan of yours. A former Alaskan. Please, please be safe with all that is going on both in the Alaska and National news. Senator McCain's HQ's. Sincerely, Clara Marie White (65 years old).

cmschaferwhite@embarqmail.com

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: To:

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:32 AM

Colberg; Talis J (LAW) Fw: failure notice Subject:

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: MAILER-DAEMON@yahoo.com

Date: 22 Aug 2008 18:20:22

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: failure notice

Hi. This is the qmail-send program at yahoo.com.

I'm afraid I wasn't able to deliver your message to the following addresses.

This is a permanent error; I've given up. Sorry it didn't work out.

<Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us>:

64.18.5.10 does not like recipient.

Remote host said: 550 5.1.1 unknown or illegal alias: Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us Giving up on 64.18.5.10.

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Sensitivity: Normal

Importance: Normal

To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Cc: "M Nizich" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Tillery, Craig J (LAW) " <craig.tillery@alaska.gov>,Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us

Subject: Re: Update on APOC "decision"

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From: Sent: To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Friday, August 22, 2008 10:25 AM 'akmotleygal@acsalaska.net'

Subject:

RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov [mailto:WebMail@govweb.alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, August 21, 2008 7:52 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Dianna Hahnlen

address: 4142 Mattox St Lot 8 Homer AK 99603

#### **MESSAGE:**

Hello-

This may sound stupid but I just wanted to say thank you. You are doing so much to help the people of Alaska and I wanted to tell you how much I appreciate it. God bless you and your family.

akmotleygal@acsalaska.net

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2008 8:58 PM

To: Hartig; Lawrence L (DEC); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Subject: Re: APOC and appeal

You all are sincerely appreciated!

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

From: "Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)" <a href="mailto:larry.hartig@alaska.gov">larry.hartig@alaska.gov</a>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 20:51:13 -0800

To: ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Irwin, Tom E (DNR)<tom.irwin@alaska.gov>;

Colberg, Talis J (LAW) < talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

CC: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) < marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: APOC and appeal

#### Governor,

I just spoke with one of our attorneys again. The parties reached agreement on many points but not all. I understand APOC is meeting to decide whether the objections the plaintiff is still raising over the website are valid. If APOC rejects plaintiff's remaining objections, we expect the website can go back up. If APOC finds the plaintiff's remaining concerns are valid, they will issue a final decision prohibiting the state from posting the website. Our attorneys anticipate a ruling by APOC tonight.

Larry

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Fri 8/22/2008 7:47 PM

To: Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

Subject: Re: APOC and appeal

Thank you folks...I assume they didn't rule in time for today's appeal. Thank you for your work on this.

Sent from my BlackBerry device from Cellular One

From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 22 Aug 2008 17:07:41 -0800

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)<talis.colberg@alaska.gov>; <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

CC: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) < marty rutherford@alaska.gov >; Hartig, Lawrence L (DEC)

<larry.hartig@alaska.gov>
Subject: Re: APOC and appeal

Talis, we appreciate the help and the teamwork! Tom

9/1/2009

From: Sent:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com Friday, August 22, 2008 9:08 PM Hogan; William H (HSS)

To: Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV)

Subject:

Staff

Hi Bill- thanks for attending the luncheon today!

Also, I spoke with Marion Ramano last night at the fair. Interesting that she decided to leave the borough and is now looking for a new challenge. I like her enthusiasm. She said she spoke to you and will be speaking with you again in the future about possible opportunities to serve the state. I told her I'd let you know that we spoke - we have a good relationship over 25-plus years.

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From: To: "Scott Heyworth" <heyworth@gci.net>
"Scott R Heyworth" <heyworth@gci.net>

Sent:

Friday, August 22, 2008 7:20 AM

Subject:

Mr Tillerson is Chairman and CEO, ExxonMobil Corporation......LNG is the key to energy

security.

# LNG is the key to energy security

by Rex W. Tillerson

23-07-08 In recent years concerns about energy security and the environment, including the risks posed by rising greenhouse-gas emissions, have risen sharply.

So have energy prices, of course. Today, high prices for crude and petroleum products are causing hardship for consumers around the world, and straining energy partnerships, as well,

Such developments are not new to our industry's history. Today's prices reflect, in part, the cyclical nature of the global commodities that we produce.

But behind this current cycle is something new — and encouraging. The global economy is expanding at an historic pace. In fact, in less than a generation, the world economy has grown by more than 50 %. Millions have escaped poverty as a result, and billions more have achieved higher standards of living.

All of us in the oil and gas industry have played an essential role in this historic growth. Energy is fundamental to nearly all economic activity and modern standards of living. So it is not surprising that as prosperity has spread, energy demand has grown. Today's high energy prices reflect that rising demand and a need for additional supplies — and, in a sense, they are a symptom of the world's success. The challenge we face today is continuing to provide the energy needed to sustain economic growth and lift more people out of poverty, while also minimizing the effects of energy usage on the environment. By 2030, global demand for energy will likely be about 30 % higher than it is today — even with substantial gains in efficiency.

To meet this growing energy demand, we must develop all commercially-viable energy sources. No single source can meet the world's growing energy needs. In the world's diverse energy mix, oil and natural gas are expected to account for nearly 60 % of total energy through 2030. Their relative availability, affordability, efficiency and versatility make them Indispensable.

I would like to focus on two important sources of energy, both of which reflectthe energy challenge and the capabilities of today's energy industry. One of these sources comes from the supply side, the other from the demand side.

Beginning with the supply side, I want to illustrate how in a relatively short period for our industry, technology can significantly transform and enlarge new sources of supply to world markets. The development of the global market for liquefied natural gas, or LNG, is a clear demonstration of the power of innovation and partnership to meet growing energy needs.

Thanks to technological breakthroughs in LNG production and transportation, consumers here in Europe and around the world are gaining greater access to safe, reliable and affordable supplies of natural gas. Today, power-generation accounts for 35 % of the world's total energy usage, and is expected to account for more than 40 % of the increase in global energy needs from 2005 to 2030.

Not only will a global LNG market help meet these needs, it will also strengthen global energy security by helping to diversify supplies. And because it is cleaner-burning than other conventional sources, natural gas has important environmental advantages as well.

Partnerships, such as the one between ExxonMobil and Qatar, are making LNG's potential a reality.

12/18/2008

Technological advances, pioneered with Qatar Petroleum and others, have enabled ExxonMobil to achieve new economies of scale for development of the North Field, the largest non-associated natural-gas field in the world. In particular, our new Q-Max ships, which use ExxonMobil and Qatar Petroleum's technology, can carry 80 % more LNG than conventional-size ships.

With new projects starting up over the next two years, ExxonMobil Joint Ventures in Qatar will bring more new LNG capacity to market than any other international oil company. A key component of this growth will be the Adriatic LNG terminal, a project led by ExxonMobil, Qatar Terminal Limited and Edison. It is the first offshore gravity-based re-gasification terminal in the world, and has the capacity to provide 10 % of Europe's LNG supply.

Construction is nearing completion in Algeciras, and the journey to the Adriatic offshore Italy is scheduled to occur in August.

A second important energy source comes from the demand side of the global energy challenge. That "source," if you will, is more efficient use of energy.

For those who might doubt the potential contributions of energy efficiency, consider this: Since 1970, reductions in energy intensity across the US economy helped to effectively meet well over half of Americans' growing energy demand. Efficient energy use extends the life of the world's resource endowment. It reduces greenhouse-gas emissions. It helps drive down energy prices. And it strengthens energy security. Over the past 25 years, worldwide gains in energy efficiency have helped lower energy intensity by about 1 % annually.

As a result, the global economy is growing more resilient to energy demand and supply shocks. Sudden changes in energy prices have less economicimpact because energy is a relatively smaller input to the goods and services the world produces than it was a quarter century ago. Energy efficiency as it relates to economic growth is often misunderstood. It does not mean doing less.

Economies need energy to grow, and to deny this need is to deprive people, especially in developing countries, of the opportunity to achieve higher standards of living. Energy efficiency means using energy wisely — from employing advanced technologies to exercising common sense in using energy. It means doing the same — or more — with less.

Innovation plays a crucial role. ExxonMobil has systematically worked to improve efficiency and environmental performance throughout our facilities worldwide. Since 2004, ExxonMobil has invested more than \$ 1.5 bn in activities that improve energy efficiency and reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and we will be spending at least half a billion dollars on additional initiatives over the next few years. Even greater efficiency gains are possible in the transportation sector, through both incremental and breakthrough innovations. While the quest for transportation replacement fuels that emit low to zero greenhouse-gas emissions continues, we must continue to provide ways for consumers to use the fuels available, gasoline and diesel, in ways that are more efficient, thereby resulting in lower greenhouse-gas emissions.

ExxonMobil is partnering with engine and vehicle manufacturers to develop a number of transportation technologies that can improve fuel economy and reduce emissions — from lightweight plastics... to materials that make tires lighter and keep them properly inflated and more efficient synthetic motor oils. We are also conducting a multi-year research effort in advanced engine technologies, such as Homogeneous Charge Compression Ignition, or HCCI. Success in these efforts could improve fuel economy of the Internal-combustion engine by up to 30 %. To contribute to overcoming technical challenges to new vehicle systems, ExxonMobil has developed battery separator films to improve the safety and durability of lithium-ion batteries for use in hybrid and electric vehicles, and continues to refine and advance our on-board hydrogen reformer system that could lead to 80 % improvement in fuel economy and a 40 % reduction in greenhouse gases.

The common element to bringing solutions to future supply and future demand challenges is technology: Technology development and technology deployment. International partnerships are essential to fostering technologies that increase supplies, strengthen security and reduce environmental impacts. No single source can meet the world's growing energy needs — and no single segment of our industry can either. Such partnerships are forged through the free flow of goods, services, capital and expertise across borders. Free trade and investment propel the energy-innovation cycle forward, bringing the best minds and the latest

tools to bear on the toughest challenges. Resource nationalism and the pursuit of "energy independence" can interrupt this cycle, and slow the spread of economic progress that energy enables.

When energy prices are high, the temptation to break partnerships or cut ties can be strong, for both producing and consuming countries. But it is a temptation that we must resist. Instead, we must strengthen and sustain the global market for energy to meet the energy demand and supply challenges the world faces. Free and fair competition on a worldwide scale is the hallmark of the Olympic Games. It also should be the aim of all members of the World Petroleum Congress.

Mr Tillerson is Chairman and CEO, ExxonMobil Corporation. From a speech delivered at the 19th World Petroleum Congress Madrid, Spain.

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